

FILED: July 28, 2023

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE FOURTH CIRCUIT

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No. 22-1712  
(5:21-cv-00365-BO)

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STEPHEN R. PORTER, PH.D.

Plaintiff - Appellant

v.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF NORTH CAROLINA STATE UNIVERSITY; W.  
RANDOLPH WOODSON, in his official capacity; MARY ANN DANOWITZ, in  
both her official and individual capacities; JOHN K. LEE, in both his official and  
individual capacities; PENNY A. PASQUE, in both her official and individual  
capacities; JOY GASTON GAYLES, in both her official and individual capacities

Defendants - Appellees

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ELIZABETH WEISS; PACIFIC LEGAL FOUNDATION; FOUNDATION FOR  
INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS AND EXPRESSION

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The judgment of this court, entered July 6, 2023, takes effect today.

This constitutes the formal mandate of this court issued pursuant to Rule

41(a) of the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure.

/s/Patricia S. Connor, Clerk